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TAGS: PFOR, EAID, BG

SUBJ: VOA GUIDANCE ON PL-480/CUBA TRADE

REF: STATE 215790

1. STORY HAS NOT YET APPEARED IN LARGELY GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED MEDIA BUT MAY WELL SURFACE IN OPPOSITION PRESS IN NEXT FEW DAYS. OCTOBER 1 ISSUE OF CALCUTTA HINDUSTHAN STANDARD WHICH IS AVAILABLE LOCALLY CARRIED DISTORTED REWRITE (UNATTRIBUTED) OF WASHINGTON POST ARTICLE. FULL TEXT FOLLOWS IN SEPTTEL. WILL ADVISE IF AND WHEN LOCAL PRESS PICKS UP STORY. UNTIL THEN SEE NO POINT IN VOA USING STORY WHICH EMBARRASSES BOTH BDG AND USG AND HAS NOT YET BECOME A PUBLIC ISSUE.

2. IF STORY DOES BECOME ISSUE HERE BELIEVE VOA SHOULD CARRY IT LOW-KEY, EMPHASIZING NON-DISCRETIONARY LEGISLATIVE REQUIREMENTS IN PL-480 WHICH HAD TO BE MET, SHORTNESS OF DELAY, AND FACT THAT ONLY ONE SHIPMENT OF JUTE BAGS INVOLVED AND COMPLETED AS PLANNED

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BY BDG, LEAVING NO REMAINING ISSUE OF CONTENTION.

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